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For: Detection of Micro Metastasis of Melanoma and  
Breast Cancer in Paraffin-Embedded Tumor Draining  
Lymph Nodes by Multimarker Quantitative RT-PCR

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on April 15, 2010, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows: